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## Westerdale Elections.

The election for councillors for Divisions 2 and 3 of the Westerdale Municipality were held on Saturday last.

The election in both divisions was very close, when in Division 2 Mr. Frank Jackson was elected over Mr. Harry Levagood, retiring councillor, by a majority of 4 votes, while in Division 3 Mr. Alex Hogg retained his seat on the council by a majority of 8 votes.

In Division 2 one hundred votes were cast, Jackson receiving 51 and Levagood 47, with 2 spoiled ballots.

In Division 3 Alex Hogg received 81 votes and Harvey Hosegood 73. There were also 2 spoiled ballots at this poll.

## BIRTHS

Didsbury General Hospital.

February 24th to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDonald, of Westcott, a daughter

February 26th to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carlson, of Hammatt, a son.

February 28th to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Aarsby, of Bottrell, a daughter.

## Masonic Bonspiel.

The local Masons held their annual bonspiel on Monday and forty members, many of whom knew little about the handling of the "stones," had a wonderful time.

The schedule was arranged to give each rink two games. In the opening round the winners went to the right, the losers to the left and the winners in each schedule played off in the final.

Although they lost in the first round, Dr. Clarke's rink went through to win the cups over the McDougall rink in the finals in a tight game which called for an extra end.

Results of the games were as follows:

### Opening Round

W. G. Liesemer beat Dr. Clarke
Wordie " Topley
McDougall " Brusso
Fisher " Johnson
Kirby " Studer

### Winners' Schedule

W. G. Liesemer beat Wordie
Fisher " Kirby
McDougall " Fisher
McDougall " Liesemer

### Losers' Schedule

Clarke beat Topley
Johnson " Studer
Clarke " Brusso
Clarke " Johnson

### Final

Clarke beat McDougall

The personnel of the rinks were: W. G. Liesemer, McGhee, Spence and Morgan.

Dr. Clarke, McFarquhar, Gooder and Lantz.

Wordie, Thompson, John Liesemer and Harry Richardson.

Topley, Halliday, Bill Clarke and Emmerson McInnis.

McDougall, Dr. Liesemer, Hosegood and Jack Thomas.

Fisher, George Burns, Ellis Barnes and Ed Craig.

Johnson, Fred Moyle, Rev. Geeson and Stanley Brown.

Studer, Adshad, Oscar Rupp and Roland Ahlgrim.

Kirby, C. R. Ford, Walter McInnis and Bob McFarlane.

Brusso, Al Thomas, Chas. Mortimer and Floyd Ahlgrim.

## WEDDINGS

A quiet wedding took place at the M.B.C. parsonage Thursday afternoon, February 23rd, 1939, when Miss Ethel Rist, of Sunnyslope, became the bride of Mr. Albert Pregitzer, of Torrington, Alberta. The couple were attended by the bridegroom's father and sister. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Oscar Snyder.

The happy couple will make their home on Mr. Pregitzer's farm north of Sunnyslope. We extend to them our sincere wishes and heaven's blessing.

The Knox United Church Manse was the scene of a quiet wedding when Miss Clara A. Rindal became the bride of Mr. Arthur H. Wilton, of Calgary. The bride was accompanied by her parents. The marriage was solemnized by Rev. J. R. Geeson on Saturday, February 25th.

After the ceremony the happy couple travelled to Calgary, where they will make their home.

## Will Show Game In Moving Pictures

Moving pictures of game and outdoor life will be shown at Didsbury Opera House on Tuesday, March 7th under the auspices of the Didsbury Fish and Game Association.

Mr. George Spargo, director of fisheries for the province, will show "Forest Fires and Game," "The Beaver Family," "Damsite More Ducks" and others.

The pictures of game in their natural habitat are always interesting and the films to be shown are of great appeal to sportsmen and all who enjoy the great outdoors. They will also prove of interest to children and they are invited to attend.

There will be no charge for admission and everyone is welcome to attend.

## "Y" Girls Elect Officers.

The officers for the local branch of the "Y" Girls have been elected as follows:

President, Miss Dorothy Geeson  
1st Vice " " Alice Rennie  
2nd " " " Edna Thaler  
Secretary, Mrs. Arthur Adam  
Treasurer, Miss Dorothy Dippel  
Pianist, Miss Mildred Traub

The February meeting of the "Y" was held at the home of Mrs. Reiber, with 23 members present, and a very profitable evening was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Hallman spoke on the life of Frances Willard. This, with singing and musical numbers, completed an interesting program. After games and a social hour, a dainty lunch was served.

## Will Introduce the Chukar Partridge

The Didsbury Fish and Game Association is joining with the sportsmen of the central part of Alberta in attempting to permanently establish in this province that wonderful white-necked game bird, the Chukar partridge.

The Chukar is a native of India, lives from sea-level to an elevation of 10,000-ft., will stand our winter climate and likes open country. It is a splendid sporting bird, lies well to dog and is a fast flyer. It is about the size of a willow grouse, is prolific and stays pretty well to where it is put down.

The results attained from those released in the Calgary district in the fall of 1937 and the spring of 1938 have shown that they will thrive in this country.

The plan is to release 500 birds this March at a cost of \$6.50 a bird. The local association has ordered ten birds to be put down in this district and Calgary sportsmen have volunteered to pay half the cost.

It will be remembered that Calgary sportsmen introduced the Hungarian partridge, which were so successful that they spread to the adjoining provinces and to the states of Montana and Eastern Washington.

## DIDSBURY MARKETS.

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## McFarquhar Moves to Leuszler Block.

Mac's Service Hardware commenced moving his stock to the new location in the Leuszler Block on Wednesday.

With new shelving and the store freshly decorated, the more commodious premises will give a better opportunity to display goods and will be much more convenient for both customers and clerks.

Striking signs have been painted on the windows and fixtures will be built to provide for modern window display.

## Will Arrange For Children to See King

A meeting of all the organizations in the district is to be held at the Public School on Friday evening at 8 o'clock to arrange for transportation of schoolchildren to Calgary to see the King and Queen on their visit to that city on May 20th.

The Canadian Legion are calling the meeting and ask that representatives of all organizations be in attendance.

## Obituary.

James S. Greig, a former resident of Didsbury, died at Edmonton on Tuesday.

Born near Peterboro, Ontario, on May 21st, 1862, he was united in marriage to Mary E. Stephens at Campbellford, Ontario. They resided near Owen Sound, Ontario, where they joined the M.B.C. Church shortly after their marriage. In 1901 they moved to Alberta and settled on a homestead 7 miles east of Didsbury where his wife died in 1909.

In 1910 he moved to Trochu and later in 1919 he married Miss Mary Dunnington in Ontario. Farming at Trochu until about 3 years ago, he moved to Edmonton, where he since resided.

He is survived by 4 sons, Stewart of Didsbury, Clifford and Wesley, of Edmonton, and Norman, of Vermilion. Also by 17 grand children and one great grandchild.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M.B.C. Church and interment at Didsbury.

## Evangelical Church Notes

The pastor will speak from the subject "Christian Opportunity" on Sunday morning. The evening theme will be "The Counsels of Wisdom to the Children of Pleasure."

## School Fair Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Community Hall School Fair will be held at Mountain View Community Hall on Thursday, March 9th at 2 p.m.

All ratepayers of the school districts interested in the fair are asked to attend, as arrangements will be discussed for the continuance of the fair.

The world's day of prayer which was held in the Knox United Church on February 24th was well attended. Those taking part in the program were Mrs. Finlay, Mrs. Berscht, Miss Rennie, Mrs. Hallman, Mrs. Caughell, Mrs. Harder, Rev. Traub, Rev. J. R. Geeson, and Mrs. Beery as soloist. Mrs. Boorman acted as leader and Mrs. Gulliver as organist. A collection amounting to \$6.06 was taken which will be sent to the Missionary Society to be used for Christian literature in different lands.

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## The Predicament Of Youth

No apology is needed for reverting to the problem of youth as it exists in Western Canada to-day after a decade of combined agricultural and economic depression. The weight of the problem becomes more pressing as the years roll along and young men and young women, more or less equipped for taking up the duties of citizenship find themselves, through no fault of their own, with no place to go. It is a problem that will not down. On the contrary it becomes more acute. It is a problem that will not cure itself, except perhaps over a long period of "better years", by which time many will have "missed the boat" and will find themselves left behind.

During these ten years hundreds and thousands of these young people have grown to maturity and are not only willing but anxious to fulfil their natural destiny, that of earning their daily bread and a few of the comforts of life and of marrying and rearing families of their own. But they have found their desires for a normal life thwarted in every direction with results that will be disastrous to themselves and the country, unless some solution is speedily found.

Reference is advisedly made to the ill effects of such a cancer on the body politic, for it is axiomatic that no nation can prosper if a large percentage of its youth is frustrated in its outlook on life and the future welfare of a nation thus afflicted is tarnished; for the youth of to-day are, or should be, the workers and counsellors of tomorrow. The war was responsible for the loss of one generation. Is the depression to be the cause of the loss of another?

When the problem is viewed in this light it is immediately seen as one of great urgency, not only because of its immediate effects but because of its long range impress upon the welfare and happiness of the people of the future.

### Temporary Palliatives

Direct relief and the provision of entertainment in cheap form, which we have had with us as an emergency specific for some years is not the solution of the problem. Such a nostrum breeds racketeering, enervation of character, loss of morale and for a certain percentage, even criminality. That is bad enough for the middle aged but how much more disastrous for those standing on the threshold of adult life, whose characters and disposition are in the moulding and whose traits may be passed on to a generation yet unborn.

The only solution to this economic and moral problem is work—the opportunity to earn the right to daily bread, clothing, fuel, shelter and amusement, and if industry is presently unable to provide this right it becomes a challenge to the governments of the country to do so, until such time as conditions make it possible for industry to adjust itself; and in this connection the term "industry" is used in its broadest sense, to include agriculture as well.

To date various devices have been tried and found wanting in greater or less degree. They have not made any substantial dent in the relief rolls in the west. The farm bonus plan, the housing act, the home improvement act, the federal-provincial youth training scheme and others might be cited. At best, none of them have proved more than seasonal or temporary, very temporary, palliatives. Insofar as the prairie provinces are concerned, none of them have enabled a large body of unemployed young people to embark on a life vocation and it is doubtful if any of them have, to any appreciable degree, enabled any to make adequate preparation to take advantage of opportunities which industry may be able to afford them in the future, when general economic and agricultural conditions shall improve.

### Insistence Needed

If direct relief on a substantial scale, including the able-bodied as beneficiaries, is to become a permanent policy; if work is not to be provided through governmental agencies for those who are physically fit and qualified to undertake it, and if adequate and practical training is not to be furnished to youth to enable them, when opportunity avails later, to fit themselves into the industrial life of the country, then, indeed, is the outlook gloomy.

And in connection with training courses for youth it is worthy of note that the blacksmiths of Saskatchewan in convention in Regina recently condemned youth training courses as inadequate, impractical and waste of money. It was contended that the courses are too short to be of any value, that instructors had only theoretical knowledge and that youths, when the courses were completed, were not only unfit to undertake practical work but that their efforts to engage in business on their own account spelled failure for themselves and injury to the established trade. They had previously recommended adoption of the apprenticeship system, such as is found successful in Great Britain and Denmark, without avail.

Opinion in the west that, for the qualified, work should be substituted for direct relief is well crystallized and the belief that training of youth for future endeavor should be practical and adequate is well established. Only persistent and concerted pressure by the people of the west on their governments will result in these important and absolutely essential objectives being achieved.

## Nervous? Headaches?



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## Liked His First Movie

Man Aged 103 Would Be Willing To See Another Show

When his friends insisted that he should see his first moving picture, Jacob Nabel, 103, said he wanted to be paid if he were to sit through a film.

"But I was wrong," he admitted after seeing a technicolor production. "It was so good I would be willing to see another."

Nabel, an Hungarian-born proprietor of a clothing store in Cleveland, never had ridden in an automobile or seen a show.

## Poland Is Rich Country

Is Determined To Keep Her Independence If Possible

Poland has had a ghastly history of dismemberment and endurance under centuries of tyranny. She regained her independence after the Great War, and she is determined never to lose it again if she can possibly defy those who would seek her wealth. For Poland, it should be borne in mind, is one of the richest countries in the world, despite the temporary poverty of part of her agricultural population, which is due solely to economic conditions. She exports more timber and wooden products than any other European nation, and her vast agricultural area floods the European markets with cheap bacon and eggs. She is the third country in the world, after Russia and Germany, in the production of potatoes and of rye, and the second in the production of hemp and flax. She is the fourth country in Europe in coal production. Her coal mines moreover, are a complete unit, formerly divided up by artificial decrees between three Powers—the Cracow basin under Austria, the upper Silesian basin under Germany, and the Dabrowa basin under Russia. To-day her annual coal output is more than 160,000,000 tons.

Moreover, Poland is a country possessing colossal deposits of potassium salts. Her salt mines are estimated to contain 6,000,000,000 tons of salt, sufficient to supply the world's needs for centuries. In her mineral resources she is no less wealthy, with huge iron ore and zinc mines, and she is also the only country in Europe, with the exception of Russia and Rumania, which possesses important deposits of crude oil and natural gas.

Is it any wonder, with such a heritage, and with such wealth, that Poland seeks peace and refuses to be beguiled or cajoled into any close links with any other nation or nations from whom she has suffered so cruelly in the past? She has endured centuries of terror. No nation in the world knows better what the domination of ruthless neighbors means. But the soul of Poland has never been crushed, and to-day the nation is a unit against any form of outside aggression.—Montreal Star.

### One Way To Collect

Druggist Walter Bloes of Peckville, Pa., is giving a one per cent. rebate on all purchases—but not to the customers. He asks them to write on a form the name of the church they attend. Then he enters the amount of the purchase. At intervals, he sends cheques to their pastors.

The first crescent-shaped roll was made in Hungary 250 years ago to celebrate a victory over the Turks. Recently Hungary erected a monument to the roll.

## Let WINTER Make Ice Cream on Your Window Sill



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## JELLO ICE CREAM POWDER

### Not Just A Story

Ireland Really Experienced Night Of The Big Wind

The New York Times says many Americans whose grandparents were born in Ireland have heard these elders speak of the Night of the Big Wind. As some of the ancestors referred to it as the date of their birth the youngsters may have regarded it as a bit of frivolous avoidance of fact. But there was such a night; this year was the centenary of it. It began about 11 o'clock on the night of January 6 1839, and continued until after daylight the next morning. Limerick and the Dublin neighborhood suffered heavily. Two hundred houses were blown down and as many more were burned. Twenty persons were killed in these catastrophes and 100 were drowned. The coasts of Ireland and western England were lined with wrecks. The Big Wind in its general effect, but on a smaller scale, resembled our own hurricane of September last.

As Ireland did not keep vital statistics until 1860, the Night of the Big Wind was used as the base of many claims made under the old-age pension act 30 years ago.

### Air Line Fares

Standard Passenger Rates To Be Ten Cents A Mile

Standard passenger fares between all points on the Trans-Canada Air Lines will be 10 cents a mile, according to a notice in the Canada Gazette.

In calculating fares, the notice said, if actual figures show a fraction of five cents or more than two and one-half cents, such fraction will be considered as five cents. If a fraction of two and one-half cents or less is shown the fraction will be dropped. T.C.A. plan to begin passenger flights next April 1.

### Sawdust For Fuel

Homes In British Columbia Heated With Waste Product

Sawdust is now used in heating more than 15,000 homes and other buildings in British Columbia. This has come about since combustion engineers, in co-operation with the forest products laboratories of the Canadian Department of Mines and Resources, devised methods of using sawdust for fuel.

Formerly regarded as unavoidable waste, sawdust fuel now returns to mill owners thousands of dollars for a product previously sent to the refuse burners. The quantity of sawdust produced annually in Canada is estimated to be sufficient to cover 15 or 20 city blocks to a depth of 100 feet.

The rapid increase in the use of sawdust is one reason why the production of our coal mines is falling steadily.—Victoria Times.

The invention of a machine that talks seems to fill no great need at the moment. What this country needs is a machine that can cook, make beds, and is a pleasant companion—without talking.

Children who get a good deal of sunshine have less dental decay than children who live where there is meagre sunlight, judging by a study of 94,000 boys.

A deer ordinarily sheds its antlers during the breeding season.

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## Management Of The Farm Very Different From That Of A Few Decades Ago

The management of a farm as a business at the present time is very different from that of only a few decades ago. The chief problem in earlier years was to see that the farm provided a sufficient quantity of the various essential commodities required by the farm family. Comparatively little was then purchased. Clothing and furniture were frequently made on the farm. The bread, fruit and vegetables were home-produced products. Entertainment was provided by members of the community through concerts, dances, bees and parties of various kinds. Taxes were paid in part by means of statute labor. For many communities the horse provided the fastest means of transport. In such an economy, much work, skill and dexterity were required and only a comparatively small amount of cash was required to carry on the business of farming and to establish a living standard.

Nowadays, entirely new conditions must be faced by the farmer in conducting his business. He uses more and improved machinery which must be purchased. In place of statute labor he now pays higher taxes in cash due to improved and extended services. Much of the transportation work is done by motor trucks, in some cases owned by others, in place of his own horses. This is also paid for in cash. Much of his draft and belt work is done by gasoline tractors which require fuel not produced on the farm. This also has to be purchased with cash. In his family mode of living, changes have come to improve his lot through the telephone and radio. He now buys a greater proportion of food, clothing and entertainment than formerly. His community services have become more readily available. These may be all highly desirable, but to acquire them he must provide either cash or credit. Farming conditions of the present necessitate that he equip himself with more cash than has ever been required previously. While it is recognized that more cash is required by farmers than formerly, it must also be conceded that new means of securing that cash have been made available.

Every farmer operates his business on a basis of a plan of one kind or another. During recent years, farming has been gradually changing from a self-sufficing to a commercial agriculture which requires the introduction of farm planning suited to the new conditions. Successful commercial farming demands more detail in the plan to the point that for most farm operators, the old mental plan should be superseded by one more carefully thought out and written. The required revenue does not come automatically; carefully prepared plans need to be made whereby it may be secured.

The farm budget or financial plan of the anticipated business for the coming year is being more generally used by progressive farmers. A financial plan of the business may be made by preparing a list of all items of farm expenses, including overhead expenses with estimated amounts of each. The total of the estimated farm expenses is calculated. The problem then is to figure on estimated revenue sufficient to equal or exceed the estimated expense. Farm accounts are particularly helpful in preparing the budget. Farmers may obtain forms which will be useful for this purpose by writing to the Economics Division, Marketing Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

### One Or The Other

"Henry," said Mrs. Meekton, "I must give you credit for one thing. In all our married life you have never spoken an unkind word to me."

"No, Henrietta," agreed the gratified husband.

"What I am wondering," added his wife, "is whether to give you credit for a lovely disposition or mere lack of courage."

"Hi, Tom!" said the bricklayer to his mate. "Let's toss up to see if we go to the football match or work today. We'll toss up this brick, and if it stays up we'll work. If it comes down we'll go to the match!"

### Invents New Plane

#### Royal Navy Engineer Submits Plans To British Admiralty

Garnet Kellaway, Willowdale, Ont., retired Royal Navy engineer, has submitted plans to the British Admiralty, outlining a flying machine which, in theory, will revolutionize aerial warfare and travel. Ever since 1898, he has been thinking about the idea, but he didn't put it on paper until he got angry at Hitler and his air force this past year.

The machine has no wings, no steering tail, and is operated by two large horizontal propellers of new design. Mr. Kellaway claims it will make a vertical take-off and travel horizontally with 50 per cent. more efficiency than the present conventional airplane.

The propellers are arranged in such a way as to provide both a forward and upward drive at the same time when the machine is travelling horizontally. Steering requires no exterior apparatus at all, the inventor claimed.

"You'll be able to have breakfast in Toronto and dinner in London when this new type of aircraft is perfected," said Mr. Kellaway. "Bombers will be able to take better aim while remaining vertically over an objective and being able to dash away at rocket-like speed when attacked."

Mr. Kellaway saw service in many submarines in the British navy, starting with the old steam craft. He was placed on retired pay in 1920, and thus has lived in North York for several years.

### Valuable Clay Deposits

#### Development Will Bring Important Industry To Saskatchewan

Clay deposits of southern Saskatchewan will eventually be the basis of very important provincial industries, G. M. Hutt, assistant development commissioner of the C.P.R., Winnipeg, declared in addressing the Gyro Club at Regina.

At present, Saskatchewan clays are being used by plants in Saskatchewan and Alberta and some clays are being used as far away as Ontario and in certain of the states. As market conditions improve in western Canada the field for various branches of the clay products industry will open up and expansion of existing organizations and formation of new ones can be looked for. In the meantime the province should not try to enforce expansion but should await and encourage natural growth.

The speaker touched on the possibility of starting production of a variety of clay known as bentonite, which is being studied under the aegis of the ceramics department of the University of Saskatchewan. He felt that the Saskatchewan deposits are well worthy of intensive investigation. The production of aluminum from Saskatchewan clays was a remote possibility, he said. The field for volcanic ash production also deserved study. Plants now manufacturing salt cake from the sodium sulphate deposits of the province were commended for their energy by Mr. Hutt and a caution given that these plants are quite capable of taking care of the domestic market.

### Surveying From The Air

#### Troubles Of A Pilot Engaged In Air Photography

Tribulations of a pilot engaged in air photography were described by Flight-Lieut. H. H. C. Rutledge of the Royal Canadian Air Force, at the closing meeting at Ottawa of the 32nd annual convention of the Canadian Institute of Surveying. E. M. Medlen of Ottawa was elected president.

The R.C.A.F. carried out air photography work for the Dominion government and detailed maps were made by government surveyors from the photographs, the flying officer said. In some cases it was necessary to plan two years ahead so the necessary supplies of gasoline and oil could be shipped in advance to key points.

Stage stars of China will tour Japan next April.

### Story Of Human Progress

#### Is Written In Struggles And Sacrifices Of Courageous Leaders

Olive Schreiner, an English writer best known for her sensitive stories about South Africa, described a dream. She saw two river banks divided by a deep and wide chasm. One side was crowded with poor and unhappy people. The other side was bright, spacious and prosperous. The people wanted to cross over to the better side, but between them lay the wide gorge. And there was no bridge by which to cross over. Suddenly there was a movement among the people, leaders stepped forward and led a march toward the chasm. When they came to it, the ones in front fell in. Others took their places. These fell in also, but the unending stream of marchers continued. For many years this went on, until finally the chasm was filled in. Now the people who followed could easily cross over to the bright side. A bridge was made for them out of the bodies of those who led the way.

This is the story of human progress. It is the story of human liberty and democracy. Many of the benefits enjoyed to-day have been secured by the struggles and sacrifices of courageous leaders in the past. People to-day walk casually across the bridges that were built by the lives of such men and women.

Some of them are known but there are many whose names have not been recorded. There are the bands who helped to free the white and black slaves. The men and women who helped to rescue little children from grinding toil and unwholesome environment. Men and women of science who spent their lives to free mankind from disease. Men and women who founded the public schools by which the minds of the common people may be free from ignorance. Those who helped to humanize the treatment of the insane and of prisoners, who helped to secure manhood and womanhood suffrage, who built the trade union movement, who helped to secure social legislation and services which protect and advance human life, have built the bridges to human progress. This has been done slowly and painfully. Every inch of the way is marked with sacrifice. All that has been gained should be guarded proudly and resolutely. Toronto Star.

### Showed Slight Increase

#### Immigration To Canada Higher Last Year Than In 1937

Immigration into Canada in 1938 increased to 17,244 persons from 15,101 in 1937, according to a report for the calendar year issued by the immigration branch. The percentage of increase was 14.2.

There were 3,389 immigrants from the British Isles, an increase of 18.5 per cent.; 5,833 from the United States, up five per cent.; 1,312 from the northern European races, a 14.7 per cent. increase, and 6,710 from other races, an increase of 21.1 per cent. There were 57 Japanese admitted.

Number of immigrants entering Canada dropped from 104,806 in 1936 to 17,244 in 1938.

## Research Workers Seeking To Discover New Uses For Agricultural Products

### Canada's Lily King

#### Manitoba Man Has Produced Some Of Finest In World

Growing in countless gardens throughout the world are the tuberosous offspring of horticultural developments of one of Canada's most famous plant hybridists—F. L. Skinner of Dropmore, Manitoba. The Skinner testing and propagation grounds, are in a district with climatic conditions that one would not expect to be productive of many outstanding novelties in the flower world, for Dropmore is well to the north of Manitoba, just off the Saskatchewan border and near the north-west foothills of the Riding Mountain, yet in the last decade or more, Skinner productions have won the highest recognition and gained a reputation for merit in many lands and many climes.

Mr. Skinner has gained much of his horticultural fame through the propagation of hybrid lilies. He has taken the plain little native lilies, whose hardiness is unquestioned, and by crossing and re-crossing, selection and re-selection, he has produced peers of the lily realm.

Another garden subject to which Mr. Skinner has been giving attention, for the production of extremely hardy varieties for northern areas, is the Lilac. He has placed in commerce several hybrid Lilacs that are distinctly new in their deep rose coloring.

### Their Own Worst Foes

#### Groups Of Irishmen Have Again Destroyed Chance Of Harmony

Always the foes of the Irish are the Irish. History repeats itself in the cowardly argument by dynamite by the rabid malcontents in Eire. Even with more than home rule the Irish continue grievances started away back in the centuries. The Irish "cause" has ever reached a point where peace and harmony was in sight when it has been shattered by groups of dastardly malcontents who accomplish deeds disloyal to their fellow Irishmen. The latest crimes attributed to the Irish Republican Army are the most deplorable yet. They have shamed their fellow-countrymen and have caused Eire to lose the sympathy of friendly nations as well as neighbors. The ideal of unity has been set back and history has repeated itself in shame and outrage upon innocent people. Brandon Sun.

It is unknown who invented the first lace-making machine, but an Englishman named Hammond and his partner, Crane, made the initial attempts in 1768.

It is probable that no bird that ever inhabited the earth was capable of chewing its food, although some prehistoric birds did have teeth.

The national chemurgic committee of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, appointed as a fact-finding survey to develop new and expanded markets for Canada's farm products, took steps to obtain a "complete picture" of the agricultural situation in the Dominion to enable it to plan future activities.

The committee asked the Canadian society of technical agriculturists to undertake a survey of the application of research in the agricultural field and requested the chamber of commerce to make a similar survey. The national research council and the Dominion department of agriculture were invited to make an international survey of the chemurgic activities in other countries.

D. G. McKenzie of Winnipeg, committee chairman, said he hoped reports on the surveys would be available within a few weeks.

Mr. McKenzie, vice-president of United Grain Growers, Limited, and a former minister of agriculture in Manitoba, was appointed chairman of the committee when it was established last November at an agricultural forum of the chamber of commerce in Toronto. It seeks to find "new edible and inedible uses for farm products."

Discussing results of the private meeting, Mr. McKenzie stressed necessity for co-operation between industrialists and research workers in seeking to find new uses for farm products and their industrial utilization. He said only 10 per cent. of 400 patents available to the national research council had been taken up, indicating "research is going ahead of practical utilization."

The committee decided to make a compilation of what industrial products have been processed from agriculture and to determine on what products further research could be applied.

Disability of further conferences between industrialists and research technicians was emphasized at the meeting with a view to interpreting to industry facts already disclosed by research.

Twenty members of the 26-man committee, representative of the agricultural, scientific and industrial life of Canada, attended the meeting, first held since the body was established. An executive sub-committee was formed to continue the program with Mr. McKenzie as chairman.

### Seekers Of Solitude

#### Number Of Hermits Are On The Increase In Britain

That the number of hermits is on the increase in Great Britain is revealed by the number of islands sold lately by London auctioneers. Some seekers of solitude are able to pay big money for a tiny isle and they hide themselves away amid idyllic surroundings for 12 months every year. Amid misty glens and grassy slopes they dwell in peace. Most of them rear sheep.

John Monins, who owns an island off the west coast of England, is trying to form an Association of Island Owners. Apart from the big islands, like Arran or Lundy, there are scores of others round Britain's shores which are constantly changing hands, as one owner wearies of solitude and another wants to try it out.

Many islands sell for \$5 or \$10 an acre. The most ever paid was about \$500,000 — Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph.

### Should Use All Resources

#### Before Ceasing Efforts To Rescue Late Drowning Or Gas Victims

Apparently so lifeless a corner was called, three men overcome by carbon monoxide in London, Ont., recovered after firemen had worked over them for an hour with an inhalator and prone pressure resuscitation. It doesn't do to consider gas or drowning victims are dead until a competent rescue squad has exhausted all its resources in attempting to revive them, and lives are being saved every day by such means.

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J. E. Gooder - Editor &amp; Manager

**The World of Wheat**

By H. G. L. STRANGE

Director "Crop Testing Plan"

In 1895 Dr. James W. Robertson, then Commissioner of Agriculture for the Dominion government, thought that Canadian crops could be improved, and so he donated \$100 out of his own pocket to encourage boys to pick out for seed the best heads of wheat and oats from the crops growing on their fathers' farms. The plan was a great success. The boys, and later on their fathers, then became part of a permanent organization.

From this humble beginning sprang the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, and afterwards, too, the Dominion Seed Branch; and the experience gained had much to do with those grain standards later set up for the Canada Grain Act.

In Canada today the expert plant breeders who make new varieties, the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, the Seeds Act, and the Canada Grain Act, all form a remarkable combination, which creates, maintains, certifies and guarantees to the buyers of the world the high quality of Canada's wheat and other grains.

Such a valuable combination does not exist in any other country, and it all sprang from the idea of the late Dr. Robertson, and from the small sum of \$100 which he donated in 1895 for the advancement of Canadian agriculture.

Following factors have tended to raise price: Slight reduction in official Australian wheat estimate -- Orient continues to absorb a large percentage of Australian exports -- Decrease in Argentine oats, barley, rye and flax estimates -- Crop prospects in lower Volga regions unfavorable -- Severe winter wheat losses in France owing to frost.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Danubian navigation reopened -- Winter crop prospects in Hungary and the Balkans very favorable -- Increase in Argentine wheat estimate -- Further widespread rains in India -- Brazil temporarily prohibits wheat imports -- Japanese 1938 rice production near 1937 level -- Satisfactory moisture conditions in Africa.

**Burnside Notes**

Miss Adella Bittner, who had been spending some time with relatives in this district returned to her home in Calgary on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John Viney are moving this week to their new home in the Hammer school district. These popular neighbors will be missed in the district.

Mr. Harold Thompson spent Wednesday evening with Robert Eckel.

Mr. Joe Rist spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner.

Mrs. Chris Ehreti is spending the week with Calgary relatives.

Long Pine W.I. will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. W. Lyons on Thursday, March 9th at 2 p.m.

**Mountain View Notes**

Mountain View Women's Institute held their February meeting Thursday last at the home of Mrs. E. St. Clair. Twenty ladies were present. Mrs. E. St. Clair gave an interesting paper on "Household Economics," dealing with purchasing of and caring for household goods. A number of very attractive recipes were also given. Following adjournment of the business meeting, the hostess served a tasty lunch. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ed Blain the third Thursday in March. Mrs. Glen Fulkerth will speak on "Child Welfare."

The postponed Amateur contest will be held at the Hall on Friday, March 10th. Forward entries to Mrs. B. St. Clair. Games and dancing to follow concert. Lunch will be provided. Admission 35c and 10c.

**Correspondence**

Editor, Pioneer:

I note that according to the Westcott Notes published in your paper last week that the Social Credit Group at that point in the first resolution passed at their recent meeting are objecting to the King's visit because of expense, even when their own organization is spending thousands of dollars on propaganda. The King's visit will bring money into the country and consolidate the Empire. He is not doing it for his health but for the love of his people and Empire.

The second resolution advises to break the laws of the country—and you know where lawbreakers go.

"Therefore be it resolved that you form a school to encourage disloyalty and dishonesty." You are past masters in the art. I will not join it as I love my King and country.

Will you please publish this in your paper next Thursday?

Yours truly,  
H. L. Welch.

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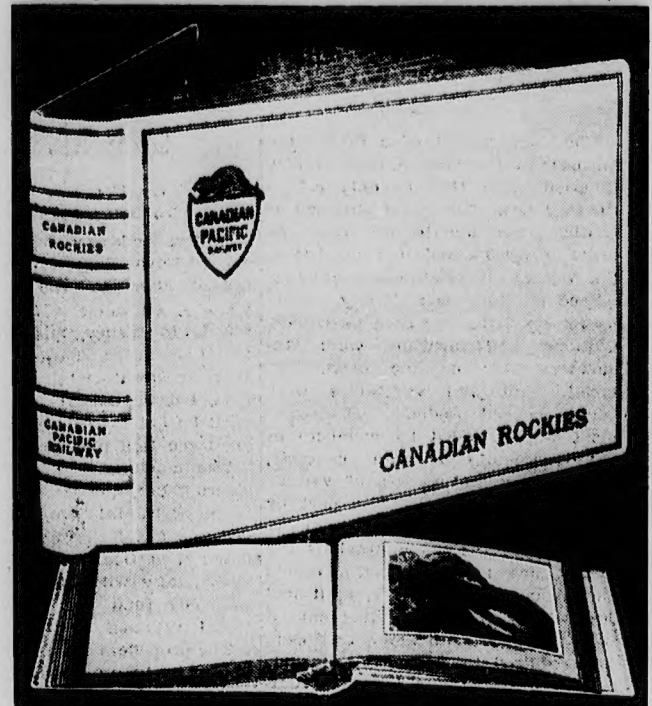
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**Canadian Pacific****Knox United Church Notes**

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**Pope Pius XI and Canadian Rockies**

In his earlier days the late Pope

Pius XI achieved considerable fame as a mountaineer and scaled most of the well-known Alpine peaks. After his accession to the Papal Throne he one day told a party of Canadians visiting in Rome that he had always been interested in the Canadian Rockies and that at one time he had hoped to visit them. There were several mountains there, he said, that he would very much have liked to climb.

The fates directed his path to other heights culminating in the Chair of St. Peter, but the story was brought back to Canada and at the direction of Sir Edward Beatty a collection of photographs of the Rockies was bound together in a handsome portfolio of white calf-skin and presented to His Holiness with the compliments of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

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1:46 p.m. Sundays—"Chinook."

**Doings Of the Legislature.**

By T. B. Windross

**EDMONTON**—Alberta's budget for the fiscal year 1939-40 held major attention of the legislature and of the province last week. Presented Monday by Provincial Treasurer Solon E. Low, it told taxpayers how much more they were going to pay to their government during the year.

No important legislation having been introduced or even being in prospect this session, it is expected generally by observers that the debate on the budget would proceed during the week unhampered and that it might prove to be the high point of the session.

The reply to the speech from the throne, which by practice is the outstanding annual test of a government's strength in the legislature, was adopted last Thursday, with only about half the members of the house present to vote. The count on it was 30 in favor and 5 against.

Then came the report of the legislature's redistribution committee, recommending that the legislature be reduced from 63 to 57 members through the elimination of eleven constituencies and the creation of seven new ones, with Edmonton and Calgary each to have five members instead of the present six. The committee's report was adopted without a recorded vote, but it is known that the proposed elimination of ridings, which would mean that some present members would have no chance to run in the next election, has caused ill-feeling in the Social Credit caucus.

The present ridings which would be eliminated under the terms of the report, and the sitting members for them, are these: Ribstone (A. L. Blue); Innisfail (A. E. MacLellan); Bow Valley (W. E. Cain); Empress (David Lush); Acadia (N. B. James); Coronation (G. L. MacLachlan); Rocky Mountain (E. O. Duke); Nanton-Claresholm (H. O. Haslam); Sturgeon (J. M. Popil); Victoria (Samuel Calvert); and Whitford (William Tomsn).

Everyone of those members is a Social Creditor. Five of them were known as Insurgents at the time of the 1937 caucus rebellion against Premier William Aberhart. On the other hand, the ridings of several members of that insurgent group remain untouched, while the seats of some members who up to this time have been believed to have the favor of the government, are wiped out.

The new ridings would be Bow Valley-Empress, to take in possibly either Mr. Cain or Mr. Lush; Acadia-Coronation, which might accommodate either Mr. James or Mr. MacLachlan; Willingdon, Bruce, Spirit River, Redwater and a revamped riding of Rocky Mountain House.

Although the house has adopted the report, it would have no effect unless legislation is enacted to carry out the terms in a statute to amend the present legislature act.

Hon. N. E. Tanner, minister of lands and mines, said on his return from Ottawa conferences that he had discussed with federal government members the proposal of the British financial interests for establishment of a pipeline from the Turner Valley field to the Great Lakes for transportation of oil, but added that he could say nothing in regard to the discussions.

It is known that if such a pipeline were built, the British navy would be almost certain to become a heavy buyer of Turner Valley oil, which would mean that Alberta industry and the safety of the British Empire would be benefited at the same time. It is also considered certain, however, that in view of the Alberta government's reputation in British financial circles and in view of Alberta's recent threats to burden the oil industry here with more government interference, the province can not expect more development of her oil resources until the government gives some proof of good faith and a guarantee that investment will not be confiscated.

Inasmuch as the McGillivray commission was appointed to proceed toward government "regulation" of the industry, the premier's threat was not unexpected. It has not been explained, however, how one such government will be able to regulate the affairs of an industry which is so sensitive to world conditions.

tions and which frequently must change its policies overnight to meet sudden situations. It is clear now to observers that such regulation would cause government worry in the future.

Decision of the Alberta Conservative party at its provincial convention in Calgary to throw in its lot with the Unity movement and to submerge its own identity to the extent of nominating no Conservative candidates in the next provincial election was greeted in non-partisan political circles here as an important development in Alberta politics and as a big step in ousting the Aberhart government when that chance comes. R. W. Ward of Calgary, was elected president of the Conservative Association, and in the meantime D. M. Duggan is to continue as provincial leader.

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Lieut. Marshall Cleland of Toronto, will be judge at the Calgary Spring Horse Show to be held April 8.

Prime Minister Chamberlain told the House of Commons he is unable to contemplate a visit to President Roosevelt in Washington.

The new United States civil aeronautics authority is planning establishment of five powerful radio stations to make commercial flying across the Atlantic and Pacific safer.

A bill to give Hindu women the right to sue for divorce—the first of its kind in Indian history—will be introduced in the Indian central assembly.

Premier Abernethy announced government approval of the claim of Medicine Hat for federal financial assistance in development of an irrigation project in the Medicine Hat area.

The United States government will discourage any American investment in proposed Japanese corporations designed to develop industry, commerce and agriculture in China, officials indicated.

Photograph of a British plane with a swastika on the fuselage puzzled many until it was explained the aircraft was for the Latvian army. Finnish planes for years also have used the swastika.

James Dida, Seattle, was sentenced to 12 months in jail and fined \$2,500 on conviction of removing "made in Japan" labels from goods sold in his linen store, contrary to customs regulations.

Funds to be used for empire settlement for the current financial year will total about \$45,000 (\$211,000), Sir Thomas Inskip, Dominions secretary, informed the British House of Commons.

## Leading Stores Advertise

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The *Santa Canadian-Observer* says if you go into almost any community, you find this thing to be true: The leading stores are good advertisers. If you see a large store, it probably uses a lot of newspaper space. If you see a small store with a few people in it, it is not properly advertised.

These two things go together so consistently that people cannot expect to succeed in business unless they observe this means of reaching out to growth. If they want to go ahead and establish themselves as leaders in their home community and neighborhood, the way to do it is to tell the people what they are selling.

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You can obtain Moore's Eczema Cream at any modern drug store.

## More Safety Under Ground

**Agitation In Britain For Bomb Shelters As Protection In Event Of War**

Britons have come to the unwelcome conclusion that life on the edge of a jittery Europe cannot be lived with surety unless provision is made for spending part of it underground in emergency.

Agitation is increasing for a long-term government policy of building deep, permanent bomb shelters into which the average citizen, his wife and children can scurry if international relations go beyond the talking stage.

To the easy-going and peace-loving man-in-the-street the idea of going underground is repugnant, but we cannot change geography, and he is beginning to doubt if he can change the truculent nature of some of his neighbors.

If an unfriendly aviator flying over the great sprawling target London provides were to toss out a couple of tons of high explosives and steel he could almost certainly kill many, and wound many more. Those he wounded would be rushed to hospitals, all above ground and easily spotted from the air. If the aviator believed it was good business to kill hospital patients he would have a second chance to get those he failed to eliminate the first time.

The *Daily Express* received a letter from 21 distinguished physicians and surgeons, complaining existing hospitals would be untenable in the kind of air raid London may expect in a new war. They asked for a plan of constructing subterranean hospitals.

Even if no direct hits were scored on surface hospitals, they said, most of the windows, skylights and other glass would be smashed. Patients lying in their beds would be cut, those in operating theatres would have their wounds filled with dirt blown in by the explosions. Doctors and nurses would be unable to work properly under bombardment.

## SELECTED RECIPES

### SAVORY CREAMED EGGS

6 Shredded Wheat Biscuits  
7 tablespoons butter  
1 teaspoon minced onion  
4 tablespoons flour  
2 cups milk  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 Speck pepper  
6 shelled hard-cooked eggs, sliced  
3 tablespoons anchovy paste

Over direct heat, melt 4 tablespoons of the butter in the top of a double boiler, add the onion and cook until soft. Then add the flour and stir until blended. Add the milk, salt and pepper, place over boiling water and cook, stirring, until thickened. Cover and cook 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add the sliced eggs, and heat thoroughly. Meanwhile split the biscuits and heat in a moderate oven of 375 degrees F. 10 minutes, then dot with the remaining 3 tablespoons butter mixed with the anchovy paste. Serve the creamed eggs on the hot biscuits—allowing two biscuit halves to each person. Serves six. Variation: Deviled or Potted Ham may be substituted for the Anchovy Paste.

### BOILED DRESSING

2 eggs  
2 tablespoons sugar  
1 tablespoon Benson's or Canada Corn Starch  
1 tablespoon mustard  
1 teaspoon salt  
Dash of paprika  
1/2 cup Crown Brand Corn Syrup  
1 1/2 cups sour cream  
1/2 cup cider vinegar

Method: Break eggs into top of double boiler. Shake over them sugar, corn starch, mustard, salt and paprika. Add Crown Brand Corn Syrup. Beat vigorously until there are no lumps in mixture. Add sour cream; cook in double boiler until mixture begins to thicken. Add vinegar; continue cooking for 10 minutes. Put through strainer; store in jar. Do not cover until very cold. (Yield—1 pint).

### Control Is Essential

The man who is driving an automobile has a ton and a half of steel rolling along the highway. He may have the best intentions in the world, but if for any reason at all it gets out of his control, somebody is going to get hurt.

A farmer near St. Thomas claims he can out-sell anyone in Ontario for a side bet of \$5,000. We all know money talks, and now this farmer wants to make it spell.

"The play ended, happily," recently wrote a local critic. What a difference a comma can make!

On the planet Jupiter, a year has 10,000 days. 2294

## USES BOTH HANDS TO WRITE

### Letter From a Man of 90

He asks us to excuse his writing. We do more than that—we congratulate him on being able to write at all at his age, especially as he has been suffering from rheumatism. This is what he says in his letter:

"Three years ago I was in bed for six weeks with inflammatory rheumatism. Since that time I have been taking Kruschen Salts and have not had another attack. But the complaint left me with inflamed feet, and it hurt me to walk. My hands were also somewhat stiff. I took Kruschen every morning before breakfast, and shall continue to do so, because I am sure they have kept me in good shape for three years. Excuse this writing, as I am ninety years old and use both hands to write."—J.R.G.

The pain and stiffness of rheumatism are often caused by uric acid in the muscles and joints. Kruschen helps to dissolve and remove excess uric acid in a gentle way through the natural channels. Renewed health and vigour is the result.

## A Serious Problem

**House Cafeteria At Ottawa Cannot Keep Track Of Teaspoons**

One of the minor mysteries about the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa has to do with teaspoons, says the *Toronto Telegram*. The House cafeteria finds it a serious problem. Each session is started out by the lunch room with a shiny new supply on hand. Almost from the opening day, they begin to disappear.

This year, 250 new spoons were purchased. To-day, patrons of the cafeteria, which, unlike the Parliament restaurant, is open to all civil servants as well as members and officials, often find none available.

The explanation seems to lie in the fact that it is to the cafeteria that members and others send when they desire refreshments served in their offices. A teaspoon seems to be a handy thing to keep around an office.

## NEWNESS THAT SLENDERIZES By Anne Adams



Most heartily you'll agree that slimmest is a matter of lines and not pounds... once you try on this new Anne Adams afternoon frock! See—the paneling extends from the very hem to the shoulders, thus giving an illusion of greater height. To this most flattering of effects is added the most becoming of trims—soft ruffles! And you can imagine how gracious the bodice gathers will be, placed as they are at and near the bust line. Moreover, all this prettiness is stitched up with great ease, since the few pattern parts are quickly assembled, and the Sewing Instructor offers such worthwhile advice! Choose short or long sleeves and wool, silk or synthetic for fabric.

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## A Weight Reducer

**Extract Produced By McGill University Research Workers**

A pituitary extract produced in McGill University research laboratories has been shown to be successful in practical tests as a weight reducer, it was learned recently.

Clinical tests in Montreal General Hospital give promise of great advance in the difficult problem of weight reduction, the Canadian Medical Association journal stated editorially in commenting upon the results published in its current issue. The hospital tests were carried out under the direction of Dr. I. M. Rabinowitch, director of the hospital's department of metabolism, using an extract obtained by Dr. J. B. Collip and associate research workers in the department of bio-chemistry at McGill.

The extract does its work by speeding up metabolism and thus burns up fat deposited in excess in body tissues. Dr. Collip and his colleagues have been investigating among other problems the subject of metabolism—the process by which food is assimilated by the body.

Certain powerful drugs it is known will reduce weight but they are too dangerous to be of practical value.

The extract so far has been injected intramuscularly. Much skill is required to extract it separately from the other hormones present in the pituitary gland.

## Organize For Defence

**Canada Should Appoint Special Ministry To Work Out Co-ordination Plans**

Canada should perhaps consider establishment of a special ministry to work out plans for co-ordination of the nation's defence facilities in case of aggression, Col. Wilfrid Bovey, director of extra-mural relations of McGill University, Montreal, said at Toronto.

No part of Canada would object to such preparation, said Col. Bovey, in an address to the English-Speaking union.

"It is not enough that our federal government organize for defence after war starts or even when war is imminent. One very good reason is that technical war may not, probably will not, start until some time after trouble begins.

"We must be prepared so that our essential services, transportation, communication, power, cannot be seriously damaged by any sudden action. We must arrange such a potential expansion of our peace-time organizations that an emergency can be met quickly, calmly and efficiently."

An expansion and mobilization plan was essential for police, fire-fighting and hospital services.

Col. Bovey agreed with the statement that as a matter of law Canada is at war when Britain is at war.

## Exhibits From Canada

**Pure Bred Livestock Being Sent To California Exposition**

Prime exhibits of Canadian pure bred live stock are assured for the Golden Gate International Exposition which has started on Treasure Island in San Francisco Bay and runs through till late fall. Complete plans for British Columbia's participation are not yet announced but, besides a booth showing commercial products, it is understood that Clydesdale horses, Holstein, Ayrshire and Jersey show herds will be exhibited in their respective sections.

Similar or even more extensive exhibits of live stock are expected to go from Alberta, as Minister of Agriculture Mullen gave assurance last fall that assistance would be available for approximately four carloads of stock for the Golden Gate shows.

"Do you prefer this hat turned down, dear?"

"How much is it?"

"Ten dollars."

"Yes—turn it down."

The Gold Coast, Great Britain's colony in Africa, where no white man is allowed to own farm lands, is the source of one-half of the world's supply of cocoa.

Astronomers are divided on the question of whether the planet Mercury has an atmosphere.

The way of the transgressor may be hard, but it is never lonely.



## BOOKS UNLIKELY TO CARRY DISEASE

Dr. Arthur H. Bryan of Baltimore, Md., made laboratory tests on books recently used by students and found few germs of any kind; those present were mostly of a harmless variety.

Communicable diseases are transmitted mainly by the person and not by objects. Books that have been handled recently by patients suffering from smallpox, scarlet fever or diphtheria may transmit such infections to susceptible persons. There is scant likelihood that common colds, tuberculosis or typhoid fever would be transmitted by library books or magazines. Any viruses or bacteria present on books soon die because of the absence of moisture, heat and the food necessary to their continued existence. In most instances disease-carrying germs soon cease to live outside the body.

Some years ago it was the custom that books on premises under quarantine were required to be disinfected by means of the fumes of formaldehyde. It is generally believed that the exposure of books to sunlight and fresh air is equally effective. In most contagious disease hospitals, books that are used by a patient are destroyed when the patient leaves the hospital. In no case is the patient allowed to take the books with him from the hospital.

The hands are one of the commonest agencies in transmitting infections. Consequently when a book is read the hands should be clean. Printer's ink is illuminating in a thousand ways; it has no antiseptic or inhibitory action on viruses or bacteria.

**Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to—The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.**

## New Submarine Sled

**Determines How Deep Telegraph Cables Are Buried Under Sand**

The first submarine sled, a six-foot long, all-metal craft modelled like a snow sled which runs on the ocean bottom, was reported to the American Institute of Electrical Engineers at New York.

It tells how deeply telegraph cables are buried under bottom mud or sand. It could also spot a lost pirate gun or anything else made of iron, even though long buried.

Flow and sled were designed to make sure of burying cables deep enough in the bottom, six inches to two feet, to prevent trawlers from doing an annual \$500,000 damage by snagging cables.

The sled never touches the buried objects. It reads their depth under the bottom by magnetism.

The average Philippine mahogany tree stands 100 to 175 feet in height, and rises to between 40 and 75 feet straight from the ground, before reaching the first limbs.


The dodo became extinct about 1681, and now the only relics of this bird in any museum are one or two incomplete skeletons and some parts.

## How Women in Their 40's Can Attract Men

Here's good advice for a woman during her change (usually from 38 to 42), who fears she'll lose her appeal to men, who worries about hot flashes, loss of pep, dizzy spells, upset nerves and moody spells.

Just get more fresh air, 8 hrs. sleep and if you need a reliable "WOMAN'S" tonic take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made especially for women. It helps Nature build up physical resistance, thus helps give more vivacity to enjoy life and avoid annoying jittery nerves and those disturbing symptoms that often accompany change of life. Pinkham's is WELL WORTH trying.





## NIGHT COUGHING CAN OFTEN BE PREVENTED

If your child often coughs at night because of even a slight cold—do this at bedtime: Thoroughly massage Vicks VapoRub on throat, chest, and back. VapoRub's poultice-vapor action tends to keep the air-passages clear, helping to maintain normal breathing through the nose, and so reducing mouth-breathing (the frequent cause of night coughs). Try it tonight—learn for yourself another reason why VapoRub is a family standby in more homes than all other medications of its kind put together.

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## STRAIT GATE

By RUTH COMFORT MITCHELL

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### CHAPTER I.

A girl and a greyhound were running in the dark. Not running away, not going anywhere; running in a sort of rounded square, running with a desperate delight in running, in motion, in smooth and lovely speed.

In the morning there would be mountains above and beyond, belittling them, but in the intimate dusk the hills had their hour, large and mild and kind, brooding the earth below them. Sometimes the girl looked up at them, but the dog kept her eyes on the dimmed, immediate foreground. There was a certain similarity between them—both young, fleet, with thin, strong legs and flat flanks and excellent wind, and both of a bronze brindle-brown. There was, likewise, a kinship of spirit, or at least of deportment, for each was shy, secret, disdainful. Presently they stopped running and stood still, breathing deeply and easily, happily tired. The greyhound pressed delicately against the girl's knees and slid a long muzzle into a slender hanging hand.

"Lightning . . ." the girl said absently. "Lightning, dear . . ." She turned toward the one open edge of the field. "Come!"

The Santa Clara valley rolled out beneath them, twinkling and trembling with lights, golden and crimson like a carnival, but just below them the windows of Danavale glowed gently. Danavale was not a town.

It had over a dozen residences generously spaced in a spacious landscape, with orchards and vineyards and gardens, stables and oak groves and tennis courts and swimming pools, which formed a sort of architectural chronology from the Great-grandmother Dana house, with its needless early-seventies skipping of porch and hall, down to that strange, modern container of Ardine La Mont Dana.

## "At Last I've Found Relief from Distressing HEAD COLDS"

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The girl and the greyhound halted before the pioneer house. It was narrow-chested, narrow-hipped, out-moded as a calico wrapper or a boot-jack, behind its low picket fence and its cinnamon pinks and china asters and candytuft.

She opened the gate and went up the dim path and rung the strident bell, and waited.

The great-grandmother opened the door herself. "Sally Lynn! Come in!"

"I can't stay, Great-granny. I'm late for dinner now."

"My stars, I should say you are! after seven. Where you been, child?" She peered up at her out of eyes like embers.

"Walking."

"Didn't you know your beat's back?"

"I knew."

The old woman laughed a shrill, impish cackle. "And a dinner party and a new dress spread out on the bed—and here you be, traipsin' over the hills in the dark! You better march yourself home, quick's ever you can step on it! There'll be the devil to pay."

The great-grandparents had crossed the plains in a covered wagon and Great-grandmother Sarah Ann Kittredge Dana was, to all intents and purposes, still in it, well up in her nineties, content to potter about her house and dooryard and wait for the dutiful droppings-in of her daughters and granddaughters and great-granddaughters.

"I know," Sarah Lynn said somberly. "I can't help it."

A voice came down the narrow sudden stairs. "Hi! Sarah Lynn!"

"Hello, Uncle Lynn! I'll come up for a moment. I can't stay." She ran up the precipitate steps.

Lynn Dana lived with the ancestress on the upper floor of the old house. He had been sitting in a chair for more than half his life—approximately since the day he had made the winning touchdown for Stanford and failed to scramble up with his yelling teammates.

"I can't stay," Sarah Lynn said again halting on the threshold of his door.

"I should think not!" he looked at the clock. "You can't even be here! My eyes deceive me. At this very instant in the habiliments of high festivity you sit at the festive board." He regarded her linen shorts, her pull-over, her brown bare knees. "Duncan arrived?"

"I suppose so. Lightning and I have been up in the hills."

He laughed. "Well, you're due down in the valley now, young woman, and you'd best be on your way."

"Rather stay with you and Great-granny," she said sullenly.

"And we'd rather have you! But it isn't on the cards this evening. Hop it, my dear!"

Sarah Lynn leaned in the doorway for a long moment. "All right; I'll go. But I won't do it! Nothing can make me—not even Mother." She departed swiftly, without farewells.

A small figure was waiting in the shadows of the big house of her father.

"Hello, Penny!" Sarah Lynn said. Miss Ethelinda Pennington had been her governess in the old days and was still a component part of the Edwin Dana household. Sarah Lynn Dana was the lode star of her existence and she had not said ten words of praise to her in the 17 years she had been with her. She spoke now in shocked rebuke.

"Sarah Lynn! Dinner's waiting! Mr. Duncan's been here since six! Your mother is greatly disturbed. Wherever have you been?" She was hustling her along a garden path toward a side door.

"Running."


"Running away! Really, Sarah Lynn, at your age! I wonder at you!"

"Not running away; running round and round in circles, the way I always do, Penny," her charge said bitterly. "Never getting anywhere."

They went into the house and instantly there was a soft rustle and a muted exclamation and her mother was upon her, big and beautiful, sunnily sweet.

"Darling!" she cried. "I know you couldn't have realized how late it is! Are you quite all right? Then it doesn't matter! You'll be down just as soon as you possibly can—in your sweet new dress!" She kissed her. "Hurry, darling. Oh, Duncan! This naughty child walked farther than she realized and she hadn't a watch, but she'll be ready in two minutes!"

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might have been born in a dinner coat had come into the hall. "Sarah Lynn!" he said gladly.

She gave him a limp hand. "Hello, Duncan! I'll hurry. Mother." She ran upstairs.

Duncan followed Sarah Lynn onto the wide verandah, down the steps, onto the lawn. The greyhound came toward them in lovely leaps but stopped in chill reserve at sight of Duncan, her ears flattening.

"I've always liked dogs," he said, a trifle defensively, "but I can't see this pooch very far. I've got a good Boston bull at home; regular dog." He came closer. "No; I'm not crazy about your hound but I am crazy about you, Sarah Lynn." His hand clasped her elbow, slid down to her hand, cool, unresponsive. "No fooling!"

"Duncan please! Let's not begin that all over again."

"I'm going to begin it again and finish it, this time! Listen, Sarah Lynn; I've never wanted anything in all my life that I didn't get."

"It's only because you can't have me. Ever since you were born they've handed you everything you cried for—rattles and kiddie-cars and skates and sleds and a pony and a car and a yacht. Now you think they're going to hand you—me. My mother, your mother. But they won't; they can't."

He laughed contentedly. "They don't have to! You'll do it yourself. Oh, I'm not going to rush you! I can play a waiting game. But just get it through your head that you belong to me."

Sarah Lynn thought he was rather pathetic with his fragility and his pallor and his elegance, casting himself for the character of the conquering male.

She detached herself, not ungraciously, walked away, stood looking up at the stars. Suddenly a single planet separated itself from its fellow and moved smoothly across the sky. Shooting star? Flying star? Plane. Sometime, she told herself, sometime she would fly away in the night.

Homecoming Danas always paid prompt respect to the matriarch. Sally Ann Dana, constant traveller and occasional author, would not even stop for her casual unpacking before she made her devoirs to the ancient head of her tribe.

"Mercy! Not ninety-six! Not really? I have the feeling that I must dash over there that she may be gone any minute!"

"No! no! She is quite marvellously well, our precious little pioneer." Aunt Helena said. "But she has longed to see you."

Sally Ann Dana came near to her

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great-grandmother's place and stood still to appreciate it, but the narrow front door opened suddenly and the old woman popped out.

"Sally Ann! And here you be, after traipsing the wide world over!" she chirped. "Come in! Sally Ann! My land! My third daughter Molly's boy Willie's girl! And I know more'n that!" She peered up at her sharply. "You're one a' the dark ones. Like me, and like a' many that went before on my mother's side of the house."

The traveller followed her into the tiny parlor with its marble-topped centre table and the hair-flowers framed on the wall. "Yes, I dare say I am, Great-granny, and proud of it."

"Course you are. Every last one of us is, always. We have what folks call get-up-and-get. Just naturally up'n put out from wherever we're at, north, south, east, west, land or sea. Made that way, somehow." She gave an elfin chuckle. "Queer! There'll be pinky-white, blue-eyed babies, tow-headed, till you can't rest—litters of 'em, and then all of a sudden, like a fly in a pan a' milk, comes a dark one. Set and rest you, Sally Ann! Me, now, I headed west."

"I know you did—and aren't we glad and grateful?"

(To Be Continued)

### Gifts For University

Medical School At London Gets Old Stethoscope And Dentists' Tool

A murderous-looking turnkey, used by dentists in grandmother's day to extract teeth (and usually part of the jaw-bone too) has become the property of the Medical School at the University of Western Ontario, London. The old-fashioned instrument was sent by Dr. J. G. Kirk, of Listowel, a graduate of the Medical School in 1926.

Resembling a lumber-jack's cat hook, with a long wooden handle ending in a metal hook, the turnkey went out of use years ago. Doctors of the Medical School are marvelling at the methods earlier practitioners must have employed when they did a little tooth extraction as part of their day's work. The hook was fitted over the aching tooth, then with a quick twist of the wrist and a little exertion of force, the offending molar was removed. And so was part of grandma's jaw, in many cases.

Dentists in those days didn't bother to say, "This won't hurt much." Their patient knew as well as the doctor did that having a tooth out was a major operation.

Dr. Kirk also sent an old wooden unaural stethoscope, of the type carried by stylish doctors inside their tall silk hats! With no hole in the middle, resembling a round, solid piece of wood, this instrument doesn't resemble its modern prototype very closely. The present model of stethoscope, the binaural type, which every doctor carries around in his coat pocket, has been in common use since the first of the century.

### An Old Indian Custom

Mid-Winter Festival One Of Most Sacred In Ritual

Despite zero weather and a biting northwest gale Six Nations Indians held their mid-winter festival, one of the most sacred in Indian ritual—in the 101-year-old loghouse of the senior Cayuga tribe, near Oriskany, Ont.

In the house the Indians performed the ancient ceremonies which for them mark the turning point in the winter. Far from disliking the bitter winds that whistled around the clap-board loghouse, the Indians said that a popular belief places the ceremonies on the coldest night of the year.

The event is always timed to start five days or "sleeps" after the January new moon. Sometimes called the sacrifice of the white dog, Indians now refuse to use this name, since the sacrificial ceremony was dispensed with a quarter of a century ago.

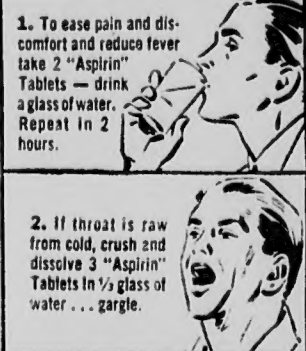
Thanksgiving chants and prayers in native tongue, Indian dances and feasting are part of the festival which continues for five days.

In Ireland, strawberries grow on trees. The tree is not related to the true strawberry, however, and the fruit is not delectable.

Fish grow continuously throughout their lives.

## First Aid To Cold Sufferers

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Mr. Mrs. or Miss Armour—the sex and state of the depositor is not named in the annual statement of unclaimed bank balances tabled by Hon. Charles Dunning, minister of finance, in the commons recently—must have gone to his or her reward generations ago, but the Bank of Montreal reports year after year that the \$10 still awaits a claimant.

Total balances lying unclaimed for five years in the chartered and other Canadian banks at the end of 1938 amounted to \$2,925,136.50.

### The Wrong Day

Colonel In India Was Listening To Western Program

J. C. S. MacGregory, director of the British Broadcasting Company Empire Service, told the Institute of Education in London recently that he had a letter from a colonel in the Indian Army who said the B.B.C. was disturbing him by broadcasting dance music on Sunday morning. Actually what he had been listening to was a program intended for Western Canada on Saturday evening.

Astronomers are divided on the question of whether the planet Mercury has an atmosphere.

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Dance at Mountain View Community Hall on Friday, March 3rd (tomorrow). Good orchestra in attendance. Gents 50c, ladies free.

K. Roy McLean, Optometrist and Optician, 209-210 Southam Building Calgary, will be in Didsbury at the Rosebud Hotel for his regular visit on Monday morning, March 6th.

Mr. J. V. Berscht and son Russell of Innisfail motored to Edmonton on Monday on a buying trip, returning the same day.

Senior Ladies Aid of the Knox United will meet at the home of Mrs. McCoy on Friday, March 3rd at three p.m.

T. E. Scott is giving 20 per cent discount on all lines of men's wool sweaters.

A. Melville Anderson, Optometrist and Optician, 224 St. Ave. W., Calgary, established since 1910, will make his regular visit to Didsbury Monday afternoon, March 6th, at the Rosebud Hotel.

The postponed Amateur contest at Mountain View Community Hall on Friday, March 10th. Send entries to Mrs. B. St. Clair. Games and dancing to follow concert. Lunch will be provided. Admission 35c and 10c.

The W.C.T.U. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Geeson on Thursday, March 9th. The topic, "Anti Narcotics", will be taken by Mrs. A. Deadrick, and "Why Be a Total Abstainer?" will be presented by Mrs. Newton.

The winning Amateurs will broadcast direct from the Didsbury Opera House next Thursday night, March 9th. Carstairs Band will give a band concert before the broadcast. Come and see how broadcasting is done. Admission 25c.

An ultra-modern story of a four-sided romance that is not altogether square—a comedy of matrimony for money! "Man-Proof" at the movies this weekend, with Myrna Loy, Franchot Tone, Rosalind Russell and Walter Pidgeon.

Clearing \$1.75 and \$1.50 winter suits for \$1.25 at Scott's.

Messrs. Glen Morrison and Jim Clayton, Mrs. Jim Lorrimer, Mrs. Ray Lovell and Miss Ethel Clayton, all of Airdrie, and Miss Rena Mowers and Messrs. Ted Fletcher and Harold Stackhouse, of Didsbury, were dinner guests on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace.

Members of the Junior Board of Trade Spokes Club acquitted themselves well in their test pieces at the meeting Monday night and earned the praise or otherwise of Coach Tom Clarke. A popular program has been tentatively drawn up and all members are urged to be on hand at 8:30 sharp next Monday night—and not to burn too much midnight oil in the meantime.

Men's rider pants, size 40 and 42 only, regular \$1.50 to clear at only \$1.00 at Scott's.

## Correspondence

The Editor,  
Didsbury Pioneer.

We are informed that a petition has been circulated in the Town of Didsbury and the surrounding district, directed to the Government, requesting that the section of road East of town from the Rosebud bridge through the subway be closed so that the bridge can be moved away and used on a proposed new road to be constructed straight East from the town to the highway. We understand that this petition has been signed by most of the business men in town as well as by a number of farmers North-East, West and South of the town, most of whom seldom, if ever, have occasion to use the present road through the subway.

We wish to make it clear that we are not opposed to a new road being constructed from the town to the highway as suggested, provided it is constructed and paid for by the Department of Public Works. We are, however, very much opposed to the proposed closing of the road through the subway. We, who use this road a lot, find the subway a safe and satisfactory method of crossing a highway which even now carries a great deal of high speed traffic and which will undoubtedly be far more crowded and dangerous to cross after it is hard-surfaced and the Banff-Jasper road is completed. If the subway is closed it will mean that to go to town we will have to make three sharp turns to cross the highway, one of which is onto it at the top of the hill and another is off it at the bottom of the hill. Both these turns are exceptionally dangerous, as any person who drives this road can readily see. In fact many of the farmers in this part of the district have intimated that if the subway is closed it will be easier and safer to go to Carstairs than to Didsbury. We feel that this is a point that must have been overlooked by the business men in town who signed the petition, as they must surely realize that the welfare of the town depends solely on the farmers in the district, especially now that they no longer derive any benefit from highway traffic.

We are told that if the bridge in question is moved the Department may give us another bridge to open the road west from John Bogner's to Jimmy Rupp's corner. However, we would like this new road constructed before the subway road is closed, as we are informed that the Department will not construct any more new bridges in this section.

We do not blame the business men of the town for looking out for their own interests, but we do feel that they are asking a little too much when they petition the government to have an expensive subway under a main highway closed for their sole benefit, especially when it is obvious that there is a considerable element of danger in level crossings over main highways, and every effort is being made by governments everywhere to provide subways under them wherever practicable.

In conclusion it would appear to us that the matter of closing this road should be decided by our own Municipal Council and we do not believe that the mere fact that the petition was signed by the Council for Division 2 (though he very seldom uses the subway himself) is sufficient to give the government at Edmonton the sole say in the matter nor do we believe that they will entertain any such foolish suggestion as to allow this road to be closed after having financed the construction of the subway which, we feel, is greatly appreciated by a large number of people who use it regularly when coming to town. We also believe that our local member should consider carefully before recommending to the government at Edmonton that a comparatively safe highway crossing be replaced by one that cannot be classed as anything but a death trap.

Yours truly,

Thirty-two Ratepayers.

(The letter was signed by 32 ratepayers).

Thanks.

I wish to thank the electors of Division 3 of Westerdale Municipality who showed their confidence in re-electing me to the position of Councillor on Saturday last.

Alex Hogg

## Ranton's WEEKLY STORE NEWS

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OUR DAD

There is a voice we miss,  
A voice so dear,  
There is a step that gave us bliss,  
A tread we cannot hear,  
That holds within our hearts  
A memory dear,  
A memory of our loving dad,  
Who was to us so dear.  
—Mrs. J. A. Mjolsness and children

Thanks!

I wish to thank all those who cast their ballots in my favor at the election in Division 2 of the Westerdale Municipality on February 26, when I was elected to office as Councillor.

Frank Jackson

## STUDER'S Close-Out SALE! STILL GOING ON

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Rayon Table Covers, 51x51, yellow,  
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Ladies Heavy Cotton Hose, reg. 25c  
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